

PENNSYLVANIA WINS

Cornell Football Team Defeated on the Franklin Field.

IT WAS A HARD FOUGHT BATTLE

The Quakers Were Forced to a Stiff Game to Win—Ithacans Pleased With Their Own Playing—Other Gridiron Contests.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 26.—The University of Pennsylvania football team defeated Cornell yesterday afternoon on Franklin field by the score of 4 to 0. It was by far the fastest game that has been played here this season and shows Cornell to have a remarkably strong team.

There was less enthusiasm manifested by the 20,000 persons present than on last Saturday, because during the first half Cornell did all the playing, but in the second half Pennsylvania used their guardback formation with terrible effect on the Cornell line. After nearly every scrimmage in which this formation was used there would be a Cornell man stretched on the grass. These throwing interruptions were the only drawback to an otherwise brilliant game. Of course, there was considerable fumbling, due primarily to the slippery ball, and Weeks also made a bad mess of two quarterback kicks, but this latter was also partially due to the muddy ball.

Princeton had beaten Cornell 10 to 0, and Harvard scored 24 against 5 for the carnation and red, and it was the Quakers' ambition to top both of these scores if possible, and thereby make today's game a fitting finale for the greatest football season in the history of the red and blue. It was also Captain Mink's ambition to make a good, big score against the Ithaca lads, as this would make his captaincy shine out with even more brilliancy than ever. In both calculations he was justified to the very last, mainly through the brilliant playing of the entire Cornell team.

In the first half Pennsylvania tried the guardback, but this formation was just as easily stopped as was the attempted end sprinting, and no matter where the Quakers tried to get through there always seemed to be a Cornell man lying in wait to tackle. Their line in this half held like a stone wall, and the ends were down the field under Young's kicks before the Pennsylvania men reached the ball. The individual stars on the Cornell eleven were decidedly Wilson, Windsor, Whiting and Young, the back field. The two former were sent against Pennsylvania's line for good gains and also around the ends, while the tackling of Whiting and Young on the end was a beautiful exhibition of fast football.

In the second half the pace began to tell on the Ithaca lads and they were driven down the field by the guardback at a desperate pace.

For the first 15 minutes of play it looked as though the carnation and white representatives would surely score, but after this, and notwithstanding the ball was in Pennsylvania's territory a greater part of the time, their goal was not near. Years ago came here with the reputation of being a brilliant kicker, but he showed none of his prowess in this line. He did get in an end zone, but it was a fluke and was clearly outplayed by the latter. Ithaca placed its kicks tentatively, while Young's men also went out of bounds after going 15 or 20 yards, which was a great handicap to the Cornell team. The Pennsylvania players last one and possibly two opportunities of scoring, when within Cornell's 12 yard line, by fumbles. Aside from this, their fumbles were not disastrous.

For Pennsylvania the individual playing of Hare, Goodman and Outland was remarkable. They broke up the Cornell interference and made good gains nearly every time they were entrusted with the ball. Hare also tackled in new shape, getting out to the end of the line and nailing his man before the halfbacks could reach the runner.

Cornell tried several tricks and gained nearly every time. One of the most successful tricks was what is known as "ends and tackles" over. Only the guard was left in his original position in the line. The tackle and end were shifted to the opposite end of the line and led the interference. Each man on the line moved along one position in the direction of the play, thus having center face guard, guard face tackle and the tackle face end. It was due to this formation that several good runs were made. Pennsylvania tried one or two tricks, such as the delayed double pass and false pass, but only once did they make a good gain.

Pennsylvania's touchdown was not made until after 21 minutes of actual play in the second half. For any team to hold Pennsylvania's guardback formation in check for 56 minutes is a great feat and demonstrated the real strength of Cornell's team.

Jersey All Stars Outplayed.

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—Jersey's All Star team fell before the Chicago Athletic association eleven in the game at the Washington Park oval. After a show of defense in the first few minutes of the game New Jersey gave up all semblance of hope and let their opponents score time after time. Fifty-two points came to the Cherry circle, and when the whistle blew at the end most of the spectators had already gone away in disgust.

St. Albans Defeated.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Nov. 26.—The Ogdenburg Athletic club football team defeated St. Albans in one of the most stubbornly fought games ever played here. The score was 10 to 6, St. Albans scoring on a fumble. Fully 4,000 people were in attendance. This is the first

time Ogdenburg has been scored against.

St. Joseph the Connecticut Champions. THOMPSONVILLE, Conn., Nov. 26.—The football game between the St. Joseph Athletic club eleven and the Wallingford team for the amateur championship of the state was played here in the presence of upward of 2,000 spectators, resulting in a victory for the St. Joseph's team by the score of 18 to 0.

Buffalo Collegians' Easy Victory.

BUFFALO, Nov. 26.—Despite a steady downpour of rain, 3,000 enthusiasts went to Buffalo Athletic field to see Hobart college and the University of Buffalo teams struggle on the gridiron. The Buffalo men had an easy thing of it, winning by 25 to 0.

Lafayette Beats Lehigh.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Nov. 26.—Lafayette defeated Lehigh by the score of 22 to 0. The Eastern men had a great advantage in weight and by the guards-back formation scored two touchdowns in the first half, Rhehart kicking both goals.

Brown Wins a Game.

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 26.—The game between Brown and Wesleyan at Adelaide park resulted in a victory for Brown—12 to 4. The contest attracted about 2,500 people.

Elmira Beats Scranton.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Nov. 26.—The Elmira Athletic Club eleven defeated the Scranton Athletic Club team by a score of 15 to 0. Lines of the Elmira's suffered a broken leg.

Boston College Wins.

BOSTON, Nov. 26.—Boston college defeated Holy Cross college of Worcester at football on the South End grounds by a score of 12 to 0.

Indiana Wins in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 26.—The Carlisle Indian football team defeated the team of the University of Cincinnati by a score of 19 to 0.

Swarthmore Won at Lancaster.

LANCASTER, Pa., Nov. 26.—The following was the score in the football game here: Franklin and Marshall, 0; Swarthmore, 6.

Virginia Defeats North Carolina.

RICHMOND, Nov. 26.—The University of Virginia football team defeated the University of North Carolina by a score of 12 to 0.

Collegians Beat Athletics.

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 26.—Washington and Jefferson defeated the Duquesne Country and Athletic club by a score of 14 to 0.

Rochester Beat Colgate.

ROCHESTER, Nov. 26.—The score of the football game here was: Rochester University, 5; Colgate, 0.

CORNELL AQUATICS.

Now That Football Is Over, Rowing Engages Attention.

ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Now that the football season is over at Cornell the interest of the students will be concentrated mostly to aquatics.

The report that Yale is willing to row Cornell again this year has brought out some very interesting questions. While Cornell men have been willing to race with all the college crews and that on many an occasion she feels that she is in a position to ask that her intercollegiate status be given as much recognition as those of any other university.

Cornell's relations with the various college rowing clubs is quite complicated. In the first place, from their nearness of Ithaca, Cornell, Columbia and University of Pennsylvania have always found it advantageous to row together. Cornell is in a very pleasant terms with these universities, and there is no doubt that there will be another triangular meet next summer.

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Cornell might be willing to row at New London, provided Yale and Harvard would admit Columbia and Pennsylvania, or provided these two latter would meet Cornell in a triangular race on that course. The Cornell navy officials have, however, always objected to the New London course as being too narrow for a three cornered contest. If Yale and Harvard would admit all three—Cornell, Columbia and Pennsylvania—to their race, then the match could be rowed in heats, and only two crews would have to row together at one time. There is hardly any doubt that the Cornell graduates and undergraduates would be much pleased if some permanent arrangement could be made among the respective universities whereby this annual uncertainty would be avoided.

Cornell would very much regret to be obliged to sever her relations with Harvard in boat racing, and it is hoped that whether Yale is entered in a race against Cornell or not Harvard may find it practicable to meet the Ithacans on the water, as she does in the other branches of athletics.

There is excellent material at hand from which to choose next year's eight, and the prospects for a successful rowing season at Cornell are very bright.

Died From the Effect of Burns.

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Louis Weizenback died at a hospital here as the result of burns caused by the explosion of a lamp at her home.

Fire at Danvers, Mass.

DANVERS, Mass., Nov. 26.—Fire in a brick block owned by the First National bank caused a loss of about \$15,000, which is largely covered by insurance.

M'KINLEY ON ALASKA

The President's Message Will Refer to the Territory.

TO SAVE GOVERNMENT PROPERTY.

Measures to Be Recommended to Protect the Forests—A Better System of Permits Is Required in the Undeveloped Country.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—The president in his message will, it is expected, devote more attention to Alaska than has been given to the big territory heretofore since its purchase. It is known that the executive will recommend speedy legislation to secure the best possible government for Alaska, and that he will also take occasion to point out the difficulties which the people are under and will urge that something should also be done to protect the property of the government. In this connection he will allude to the fact that the government is losing large sums because there is no way of protecting the timber from indiscriminate use.

Commissioner Hermann of the general land office has submitted information on this point to the president and has also taken occasion to recommend some radical changes in the laws relating to the permit system for cutting timber in other sections. At present large companies and corporations are cutting timber under the permit system supposedly for use in the mines, but the commissioner has information that trainload after trainload of lumber has been taken from the forest and placed in the lumber yards in various cities and towns and never used for mining purposes at all.

A better system of permits for cutting and inspection of timber not only for the mineral states of the west, but also for Alaska has been presented to the president, and the government officials will endeavor to have legislation speedily enacted for the better protection of the forest.

Airship For Klondike.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—Hiram S. Maxim, superintendent of construction of the Atlantic and Pacific Aerial Navigation company, announces that the company now has in course of construction an airship in which it is expected to make the trip to the Klondike. He said:

"When everything necessary is on board, the ship will weigh 5,000 pounds, and we shall take on board about one ton weight of passengers and provisions. The space occupied will be 100,000 cubic feet. The propelling power will be a 10 horsepower naphtha engine, which will be made out of aluminum as far as that metal can be used and will weigh complete 900 pounds. The gasoline will be stored in tanks in the cases, which will contain sufficient quantity to drive the vessel around the earth without replenishing the tanks. The skin of the ship will be double, and the intermediate space will be filled with hydrogen gas. This gas will be confined in separate compartments and will be in the upper part of the cylinder and in the cones."

Transfer of Street Car Properties.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—A majority interest in the Columbia and Maryland Electric railway, projected between Washington and Baltimore, has been transferred to the Baltimore Security and Trading company, the price named being \$750,000. The purchase also includes the Eckington and Soldiers' home and the Belt Line street railways in this city. It is stated as a possibility that the roads represented in the deal will eventually pass into the possession of Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York banker, who is largely identified with the purchasing syndicate and who would make the road an outlet for the Southern railway in reaching Baltimore, and it is understood that some well known people heretofore interested in the several lines will retire, among them Messrs. W. L. Atkins, P. A. B. Widener, Thomas Doan, S. F. Tyler and George A. Huhn of Philadelphia, T. Edward Hamilton, Thomas M. Lananan and B. N. Baker of Baltimore.

Cruikshank Gets Eight Years.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The trial of Captain James Henry Irvine Cruikshank who was arrested in September under a charge of defrauding Lady Randolph Churchill, her sisters, Mrs. Frewen and Mrs. Leslie, and a number of other women out of sums aggregating about \$50,000, representing that the money was to be invested in an American railroad construction syndicate, took place in the Old Bailey court yesterday. Cruikshank pleaded guilty and was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment.

Porter Accused of Theft.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26.—Lee Pitts, a negro Pullman porter, living in this city, is a prisoner at the Four courts on the charge of attempted robbery. A. E. Hill, a broker, of Providence, alleged that Pitts tried to steal from his pocket an envelope containing \$30,000 in certified checks and \$5,000 in cash. Broker Hill was a passenger on the Baltimore and Ohio train which arrived in St. Louis from the east last night. As soon as the train reached Union station he caused the arrest of Pitts.

Valuable Barns Burned.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Nov. 26.—The large barns on the farm of Sanford & Rudd, at Hoosick, six miles from here, were burned, with a loss of \$4,000. A large quantity of farming implements and feed were destroyed. The farm partially supplied Bennington and Hoosick with milk, and the loss will be severely felt.

LOVERING CENSURED

Judge Advocate Scores Him For Maltreating Hammond.

THE CAPTAIN UNNECESSARILY CRUEL

Such Treatment, He Says, Establishes a Dangerous Precedent—Relations of Officers and Privates Should Not Be Those of Slave and Master.

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—In the Lovering court martial case at Fort Sheridan Lieutenant Colonel J. A. Hunter of Fort Snelling, acting as judge advocate, severely arraigned Captain Lovering for his treatment of Private Charles Hammond. He said that Lovering means to get a garrison prisoner before a summary court and, second, that he cruelly abused and ill treated said prisoner. He reviewed the general evidence against Lovering, saying that the testimony showed beyond doubt that Lovering, as officer of the day, kicked Hammond, prodded him with his sword and cursed him.

"Gentlemen, I submit that in our military community anything in the nature of punishment should conform to law," he said, "and that a general use of arbitrary power of punishment without trial is calculated to hasten our disbandment as an organization not restrained by law and in opposition to the spirit of our free institutions."

"Between the officers who exercise power in the manner the accused did and the enlisted men who are liable to become their victims there can be no other relation except that of master and slave. There would then be little necessity for military tribunals and judge advocates, for our system of discipline would be a revival of the one in vogue before the civil war on the plantations of the south, where the right of the master to the obedience and submission of his slave in all lawful things was perfect, and the power belonged to the master to inflict any punishment on his slave, not affecting life or limb, which he might consider necessary for the purpose of enforcing obedience."

Colonel Hunter here cited from several cases, showing that too power of officers aboard ships was limited to such reasonable force as was necessary to carry out the commands, and, continuing, said:

"For if you establish the fact that an officer may with impunity order any punishment he pleases to be inflicted on a soldier, you reduce enlisted men to a condition of servitude. That is what is meant by the false doctrine of being masterful. But it is the law that should be our master. There are rules published for the guidance of those who may command, as well as those who may serve. These rules are well considered, appropriate to the condition of our service, and a strict observance of their principles would go far to prevent catastrophes like the one we have investigated."

"That Hammond should have been produced in court I do not deny, but that his disobedience and stubbornness justified his being roped and dragged there, and in his prostrate, helpless condition kicked and prodded with the sword, I do most emphatically deny."

"The position in which the accused was placed by the disobedience of Hammond does not appear to have been a seriously trying one, for he had about him in the guard soldiers who were able to lift Hammond and carry him to court. The conjecture does not appear to have been so extraordinary as to justify a military officer either in making a mistake of judgment or losing his temper. The law military makes no allowance for the infirmities of human temper. It perceives that loss by soldiers of self control is loss of power to command respect. No circumstances of irritation will justify a soldier in breaking from the established rules of discipline."

In concluding Colonel Hunter said: "In this trial I think there is something more than a serious accusation involved. I think the reputation of army officers for good judgment, for command of self, for humanity and justification is all on trial here. This is a time of peril to our order and to our traditions. I think the things which the accused has done tyrannically ought to appear to you who have heard just as other and scandalous as they did to him who felt them. The finding delivered by this court will live longer than after taps have been sounded over the graves of the men composing this court."

The verdict which, as in all cases of this character, is a secret one, has been forwarded to the secretary of war at Washington.

Bad Blaze at Willow Springs.

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—The three remaining business buildings spared by the fire which devastated the Little town of Willow Springs two months ago have been almost totally destroyed by fire while the members of the local fire department were at a dance. Fortunately, the comparative isolation of the buildings prevented the blaze from spreading.

Concord Gets Railroad Shops.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 26.—The Boston and Maine Railroad company is bringing a large part of its repairing equipment to this city from other places. The local trade is being stimulated greatly by the new policy. The additions to the Concord shops of the road mean the employment of nearly 500 additional workmen.

Minister Accepts a Call.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Nov. 26.—The Rev. Philip Cole has resigned the pastorate of the Second Reformed church in this city to accept a call to the First Dutch Reformed church in Lyracon.

BIG DEAL IN COALFIELDS.

New York Capitalists Organize for Development of West Virginia Mines.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 26.—The incorporation of the Greenbrier Railroad company of West Virginia has brought to light the plans for an enterprise organized by New York capitalists which has for its object the development of the coalfields of this state. The capitalists interested have purchased from John T. McGraw of Grafton a tract of 300,000 acres of wild land in the northwestern part of West Virginia, for which they paid \$520,000. In addition to this tract they have obtained control of some smaller ones, making their total holdings nearly 500,000 acres. Rich beds of coal underlie these lands, and the mining of this coal will soon begin.

The incorporation of the Greenbrier Railroad company is one of the first steps toward developing the coalfields. Its capital stock is \$100,000, and the incorporators are M. E. Ingalls of Cincinnati, Decatur Axtell of Richmond, H. C. Sims, F. B. Enslow and J. M. Gill of Huntington, W. Va. The Greenbrier road is to run from the Chesapeake and Ohio road at the mouth of Greenbrier river to a point within ten miles of the lands recently purchased.

The purchasers of the lands are to take the bonds issued for the construction of the road. It is also announced that the New York syndicate has obtained control of the Dry Fork railroad, which runs through a portion of the recently purchased lands.

The connection of Mr. Ingalls with the project shows that the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad company is to profit by it. Mr. Ingalls himself announced a few weeks ago that he would soon be in a position to make rates on Kanawha coal to Duluth and St. Paul, which would shut Pittsburg and eastern Ohio coal out of those markets. Mining engineers report that the coal in the recently acquired lands is the finest in the state.

The Woman in the Dreyfus Case.

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—The Frankfort Zeitung says that the family of former Captain Alfred Dreyfus, now in exile and imprisonment on the Isle du Diable, off the coast of French Guiana, on a charge of having sold French secret military data to a foreign government, engaged Sir George Lewis, the well known London lawyer, to discover, if possible, the author of the memorandum upon which Dreyfus was convicted. Sir George Lewis is said to have got upon the track of the Comte de Esterhazy through the agency of an American lady who, through a porter at the German embassy in Paris, learned that the German officials talked of the infamy of the conviction of Dreyfus and of the necessity of informing Emperor William.

Joseph of Battenberg For Creta.

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—The plan of the powers to appoint Colonel Schaeffer, a native of Luxembourg, governor general of the island of Creta, having fallen through in consequence of the sultan's refusal to confirm the provisional appointment, it is now practically certain that they will propose Prince Francis Joseph of Battenberg, whose name was under consideration for the post last summer. The prince recently married Princess Anna of Montenegro. He is a great favorite of Queen Victoria, while the princess is a protégée of czar and czarina.

Keene Wins Cross Country Run.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—About 500 men and a few women were at Travers Island yesterday afternoon to witness the regular Thanksgiving day cross country run of the New York Athletic club, which E. J. Keene won easily. The start was made from the clubhouse at 2 o'clock, and 12 young men went on the line. The pace was not for the first three-quarters of a mile, but then the contestants settled down. Keene leading the bunch from that on and winning over the five miles in 31m 50s. D. Walker was second and Eddie Carter third.

August Belmont Sells Keenan.

MANCHESTER, Nov. 26.—In the Lancaster Nurseryman John Ted Sloane rode the Prince of Wales Little Durr which was sold for £1,000. The American jockey and Lord Curzon, the property of W. H. Oakley in the Flying Waterhandicap. Curzon was not placed. Lord William Bessborough has purchased August Belmont's champion horse Keenan for \$8,000. Keenan is 5 years old and is by Lishon out of Patrimony. In the race for the Borthwick Plate Sloane rode Italian Castle and captured the place.

Fatal Result of a Joke.

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Virville E. Decker, aged 27 years, engineer at the power house of the Genesee street bridge over the Erie canal, was instantly killed last evening. He was asleep at the time, and the power being turned on by Edward Wharton, another employee, Dillenbeck was knocked into the pit by the wheel. Wharton went to the police station and explained the matter, but was not placed under arrest. It is not known whether the accident was due to a joke or to frighten Dillenbeck.

Smothered by a Barn Door.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Nov. 26.—Henry Maloney 38 years old, was smothered in a barn by a 700 pound door falling on him. The door was standing against the hay mow, and when it fell over it broke his shoulder. When the door was removed, it was found that Maloney, in his frantic efforts to free himself, had torn his clothing to shreds and was dead.

China May Fight the Germans.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—A dispatch to The Times from Hongkong says it is reported there from Canton that the viceroy of the province of Quang Tong, with the Chinese admiral and general, is preparing defenses and river forts on the Canton river as the result of "telegrams received from the north."

HAWAII TO BE OURS.

Ratification of Annexation Treaty Seems Certain.

ANOTHER PLAN IS HELD IN RESERVE.

If For Any Reason the Senate Declines to Ratify, the Islands Are to Be Annexed by Special Act of Congress.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Hawaii will be annexed to the United States during the coming session of congress. This is one of the certainties of the session. Senators and representatives, both advocates and opponents, who have thus far arrived in Washington are almost unanimous on this point.

President McKinley's message will strongly urge upon the senate early ratification of the annexation treaty, and it will be one of the first topics brought up in the executive session. The ratification will be strongly opposed by Senator White of California and others, but they will be in a hopeless minority, according to the poll of the senate made by the administration. More than two-thirds of the senators are counted upon to vote for ratification.

All the opponents of annexation can do is to delay action by talk. Some of them make no secret of their intention to try to tire out the senate and defeat the ratification by long speeches. It is not probable that they will be successful, though they may delay action until after the holidays, or even until February or March.

Senator Davis of Minnesota, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, will try at the beginning of the fight to have a day agreed upon for taking the final vote. It is not probable that this will be granted, and he will then insist upon keeping the treaty before the senate until debate has been exhausted.

Among the advocates of annexation, Senator Morgan of Alabama will probably contribute a lot of debate. He will urge the annexation of the islands without delay as a measure necessary to the proper development of the United States and the maintenance of American commerce in the Pacific, as well as to give the country a coaling station and fortress in the mid-Pacific.

If any possibility the ratification of the treaty by the senate should be found impossible, it is the intention of the administration to annex the islands by act of congress, just as Texas was annexed. While a two-thirds vote is necessary to ratify a treaty, only a majority would be required to pass a bill for annexation. There would be no difficulty in passing such a bill through the house. The Republican majority there will promptly do anything the administration may request in regard to Hawaii.

One reason why the administration is anxious to have the islands annexed as soon as possible is that it is desired to obtain during the session such legislation as may be required to put the machinery of government under the laws of the United States as soon as possible.

A great deal of administrative work, as well as legislation, will be necessary to put all the machinery of the government in operation in the islands. The judicial system of the United States will have to be extended to embrace the new territory, the existing postal system will have to be incorporated into the postal system of the United States and provision must be made for collecting the internal revenue in the islands.

Senator Caffery of Louisiana, who will oppose annexation in any form, said to a reporter:

"I can see no reason or advantage in reaching out 2,000 miles into the Pacific to take in a little group of alien islands which are not geographically allied to this continent and the acquisition of which can do little for us beyond constituting an outlying naval station, which we are already able to establish there without annexation. That their territorial extent is small does not prevent their annexation from constituting a dangerous precedent for the addition of alien peoples."

There is so much nearer to us than Hawaii that it is almost a part of us geographically, but her people are as alien to us as if they lived in the antipodes. The annexation of Hawaii would naturally serve as an argument for the acquisition of our island also. The annexation of Dutch America and, more, of Dutch America would then follow, and of which I am sure to our policy, as I understand it. I acknowledge the existence of a powerful element in the senate in favor of annexing Hawaii, but I can see no basis for following its leadership."

Japanese Claim to Be Settled.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—The Hawaiian minister, Francis M. Hatch, who has just arrived in the city on his return from Honolulu, expresses the opinion that the trouble between Japan and Hawaii has been smoothed out and can be settled now without difficulty or agitation. The Japanese government seems, he said, to be disposed to have the matter settled in a amicable a spirit as possible. He added:

"It is entirely satisfactory to Hawaii, I should judge, to have the matter of the alleged claim for damages stated definitely. It fixes the limit of the claim, if any damages are to be allowed. Before the claim might have been \$2 or \$2,000,000. This, it seems to me, places the matter in a more tangible shape, and I think the disposition on both sides now is to treat the matter in a friendly spirit."

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A BIG TIME AT DECKERTOWN.

Opening of the New Towel Factory on the Evening of Dec. 1-Addresses by Congressman Pitney and President Turner of the Lehigh and New England.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

Deckertown's new Turkish towel and towel novelty factory is about completed and will be formally opened on Wednesday night, Dec. 1.

It will be made a historical event for the town. A big reception will be given for which 1,400 invitations have been issued. Brief dedicatory addresses will be made by Congressman Mullan Pitney, of Morristown, and President William J. Turner, of the Lehigh and New England Railroad Company. Music will be furnished by the orchestra of the 24th Separate Company of Middletown. After the dedicatory part of the programme a reception and dance will follow.

Special trains will be run from many of the surrounding towns and no pains will be spared to make it one of the most notable events of the kind that has occurred in the town.

This is the first appearance in public of Congressman Pitney since his recent severe illness.

MR. HAMBLA A VERY BAD LOT.

To Save Himself from Prosecution He Swears That He Knew False Witness Against Mrs. Naylor.

At the trial of Rev. M. C. Hamblay, of the White Lake Church, last week, Mrs. John Naylor, Jr., of Bethel, made an affidavit that Mr. Hamblay had attempted to criminally assault her. Mr. Hamblay in his defense not only denied the truth of Mrs. Naylor's evidence, but made very serious charges against her.

As soon as they learned of Hamblay's testimony Mrs. Naylor's father and father-in-law hastened to Monticello and engaged a lawyer to prosecute Hamblay for slander. To save himself Hamblay made an affidavit that Mrs. Naylor's charges against him were true, and that the allegations which he made affecting her character and reputation were utterly false and untrue.

Mr. Hamblay ought to be run off the earth.

PINE BUSH.

Donation Visit.

Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.

The annual donation for the Rev. J. L. Harrook will be held at the house of Cyrus Jordana on the evening of Dec. 7. It is a cordial invitation to be present.

MONTGOMERY.

Hard Luck Club's Dance-Reception in Diamond Valley-Trolley Fare Not to Be Raised-Fur Business Lively-Stole a Whole Hog.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

Thomas Linebergh, of Brooklyn, is visiting his brother, James, near this village. Mr. Linebergh is a fancy wood worker and some of his work is very exquisite.

A large crowd attended the Hard Luck Club dance in this village. Thanksgiving Eve.

A number from this village attended a reception and dance at the residence of Isaac Wiley, in the Diamond Valley neighborhood, Tuesday.

The rate of fare on the Walden-Newburgh Railroad will not be changed, as some of the county papers have stated.

Charles A. Kaune reports good success in the fur business. This fall, as the supply of skunk skins seems to be unlimited. He has already shipped a large number of the skins of this "peaky variety," and is the only man in town who hopes they will overrun the country.

Last Saturday evening, between the hours of 9 and 12, some miscreant or miscreants entered the home of James Flanery and took therefrom a fine spring shoot that had been butchered that day and hung in the hall over night. They gained admission by lifting the blinds from one of the windows and crawling in through the window. They then unlocked the back door and carried the hog out to the wagon which stood opposite the store of Chas. H. Kaune on Spring street. The pig was found, Monday morning, lying on the creamery stoop. It is supposed that the thieves were aware that they were known and were of the opinion that the return of the pig would hush the matter up. The thieves will nevertheless be prosecuted if they are caught. The pig was badly lacerated by dogs while it lay on the creamery stoop and was completely covered with mud.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dratted disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for lists of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75

PERSONAL.-The gentleman who annoyed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing will find instant relief by using One Minute Cough Cure, a speedy and harmless remedy for throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

THE COUNTY'S LEGISLATORS IN ANNUAL SESSION.

Printing to Be Awarded, Tuesday-Contract for Printing the Pamphlets-Extra Compensation for the County Clerk-The Pinkerton Bill for Detective Services.

Blooming Grove.....Joseph E. Board, R. Chester.....Geo. W. Freterick, R. Cornwall.....Charles Ketchum, R. Cresskill.....John D. Robinson, D. Deserpark.....Thomas J. Quick, R. Goshen.....J. E. Wells, R. Glenview.....Samuel V. Jones, D. Hamptonburgh.....Chas. F. Howell, R. Hightstown.....Lottie F. Goodsell, R. Middletown.....

First Ward.....James E. Brance, R. Second Ward.....Chas. J. Boyd, R. Third Ward.....John E. Leung, R. Fourth Ward.....Nelson W. Wood, R. Minerva.....Richard S. Turbill, D. Monroe.....Joseph Rako, R. Montgomery.....Irving R. Loughran, R. Mount Hope.....Chas. W. Loomis, R. Newburgh City.....

First Ward.....John M. Wilson, R. Second Ward.....Chas. E. Leung, R. Third Ward.....Geo. Mosher, R. Fourth Ward.....Hugh McKissack, D. Fifth Ward.....Jonathan Taylor, D. Sixth Ward.....Wm. H. Post, R. Newburgh Town.....

New Windsor.....Geo. Debenham, D. Tuxedo.....Mabel J. Brooks, R. Walkkill.....H. D. Thompson, R. Warwick.....John J. Smith, D. Wawayanda.....John I. Bradley, D. Woodbury.....John A. Patterson, R.

GOSHEN, Nov. 24.-The Board convened at 10:30, this morning, with Chairman Goodsell presiding.

By resolution of Mr. Lawson the matter of selecting papers to publish court terms, election notices and session laws was made a special order for Tuesday, Nov. 30th, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The committee appointed to receive bids for publishing printed proceedings reported the following bids: Newburgh Journal, \$2.14 per page; Newburgh News, \$2.24; Newburgh Register, \$2.25; Middletown Times, \$2.68.

The committee recommended the award be made to the lowest bidder, the Newburgh Journal, and it was so ordered. Six thousand copies will be printed.

On resolution of Mr. Lawson a draft for \$500 was made to the County Clerk for extra services in carrying out the provisions of the election law.

By resolution of Mr. Boyd \$2,329.50 will be levied upon the taxable property of the city of Middletown to pay city audits.

A number of constables' bills reported as correct were audited.

A discussion of bills was next in order. The bill of the Pinkerton detective agency, which had been employed without the knowledge of the committee of the Board which has the power to offer rewards and employ detectives, came up. The matter was laid over to secure further information.

The Board adjourned over Thanksgiving until Monday morning next.

HOW IT SPREADS.

People are Talking All Over Middletown - This Report Comes from Roberts Street.

How it spreads. Can't keep a "good thing" down. Ever notice how good things are imitated? Better the article, more imitations. Fortunately the people have a safeguard. Praise can't be imitated. And true praise takes root and spreads. Claim is one thing, proof another. Claim is what the manufacturer says. Proof is what the people say.

Middletown people say Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys. Cure all kidney ills. Hundreds of citizens testify to this. Here is a case in point:

Mrs. C. H. Coleman, of the Columbus Hotel, No. 49 Roberts street, says: "Kidney disease runs in our family. I have been troubled for the past six years myself, but the greater quantity of Doan's Kidney Pills I bought at J. E. Mills' drug store were for my mother and one of my brothers. Backache so severe I could not stand it, and too stubborn to be affected by plasters, home remedies or physician's prescriptions, clung to me most of the time. I have left my bed late at night and gone to a doctor's, begging him for relief. I could not wait until he was sent for. Urinary trouble set in. The deposit alarmed me. My general health was impaired and I consider myself lucky in being induced to try Doan's Kidney Pills. It was only a few days when I got relief and in five or seven more my trouble had disappeared. When they cured me so promptly I immediately sent some to my mother, who lives at Glenwood, Sullivan county. Her father adjoins the Sullivan County Club House. The first box I sent her did her so much good that she made me send her some more. I have sent some to my sister who has the same symptoms as I, but at present I cannot speak positively about her or my brother. I can about Doan's Kidney Pills. No words of mine can express my opinion. They are easy to take, leave no disagreeable after-effect and go right for the kidneys."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold for 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.50 Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for United States. Sent by mail on receipt of price. For sale by all dealers.

Remember the name Doan's, and take no substitute.

Warning-Persons who suffer from coughs and colds should heed the warnings of danger and save themselves suffering and fatal results by using One Minute Cough Cure. It is an infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

You can't cure consumption but you can avoid it and cure every other form of throat or lung trouble by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. W. D. Olney.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

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WURTSBORO.

Improvements at the Reformed Parsonage-An Experience Social-Y. M. C. A. Service-A Big Turkey-Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

Fulton & Holmes are laying a new floor in their store.

C. A. Stanton still wants more hoop pole cutters.

Mrs. John Fort is seriously ill at her home with a complication of diseases which may prove fatal.

The spruce trees in front of the Reformed parsonage, occupied by Mrs. Westfall, were cut down, Tuesday, to give place to a veranda to be built at once.

Mrs. Thos. J. Nanny and daughter, Bessie, have returned from a visit at New Vernon.

The new reservoir is progressing. Nearly twenty men are now employed. James Reed has charge of the mason work, and Mr. Lair, of Liberty, of the other laborers.

The experience meeting at the M. E. Church, Friday evening, was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed. The graphophone selections were fine and won much applause, while Mr. and Mrs. Billings and Fred Parsells (all of Middletown) on guitar and mandolins were "out of sight." The choir did exceedingly well, and Miss Lena Parsells sang several of her solos in her usual good style.

The Y. M. C. A. service at the Reformed Church, Sunday evening, was largely attended. The president, Wm. H. Stanton, gave a history of the Wurtsboro section of the association in well chosen words. The sermon, "A Square Man" being the subject, was forcible and to the point, by Rev. Mr. Clifton. The offering was very satisfactory to the "boys."

Miss Jennie M. Page, now teaching at Long Island City, came home to attend the funeral of her cousin, Miss Maggie B. Ogg, at Port Jervis, Nov. 2d.

Capt. Stanton is improving.

Frank Watson, of the Sullivan County Club, has rented Mrs. A. E. Masten's "Rose Cottage" for the winter.

Issac Germa, of Summitville, will be in town soon to take orders for fruit trees, etc., and asks that orders be reserved for him.

M. E. Stanton exhibited a dressed turkey weighing thirty pounds at his market, Monday evening. It was raised by Mr. Cunningham.

"Andy" McCune has "swapped" his computing scales with Eugene Rhodes for a Columbia bicycle, which he will add to his "bicycle livery."

BULLVILLE.

Post Office Change December 1st-Circleville Social Club's Dance-Getting Better-Many Personal Notes.

Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.

Our new postmaster, J. B. Montgomery, will take office Dec. 1st. The people of our town are well pleased with the appointment and know that Mr. Montgomery will make a very obliging P. M.

The Circleville Social Club entertained about thirty couple of their many friends on Tuesday evening, in G. B. McKney & Son's village hall, at this place. All report a very enjoyable evening.

The many friends of George W. Evans, who for some time past has been seriously ill with a complication of diseases, will be glad to hear he is very much better, and we hope soon to see him on our streets again.

Clarence T. Dickerson, of Middletown, spent Thanksgiving at his home near here.

J. C. Vosburgh and wife, of New York, are on a visit to his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clancy, near this place.

Milton Santee and sisters spent Thursday with friends at Bridgeville, Sullivan county.

Miss Lillie Dickinson, of this place, is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Flossy Pratt, of Middletown.

BEAVERKILL.

Personal Notes of Interest-Building a Boarding House.

Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.

Mrs. Jehial is so much better that she goes out.

Mrs. Margaret Wamsley has taken rooms for the winter with Mrs. Marion Tidd.

Mrs. Rachel Hotchkiss left Lewbeach for Oneida, last week. She will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Coleman.

John Hoag has commenced the erection of a large boarding house on the old Flint farm, which he purchased last year.

Mrs. Alfred Bussey has gone to Roscoe for a couple of weeks.

A Sensible Man

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs. It is curing more cases of coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung troubles, than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized any druggist to give you a sample bottle free to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Price 25 and 50 cents.

There is no need of little children being tortured by scald head, eczema and skin eruptions. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve gives instant relief and cures permanently. W. D. Olney.

You can't afford to risk your life by allowing a cold to develop into pneumonia or consumption. Instant relief and a certain cure are afforded by One Minute Cough Cure. W. D. Olney.

Just try a 10c. box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

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PYRAMID PILE CURE CURES PILES PERMANENTLY BY CURING THE CAUSE.

Remarkable Remedy Which is Bringing Comfort to Thousands of Sufferers.

Probably half the people who see this article suffer from piles. It is one of the commonest diseases and one of the most obstinate. People have it for years and just because it is not immediately fatal they neglect it. Carelessness about so simple a thing as piles has often caused death. Hemorrhages occur from no apparent cause and loss of blood causes death. Hemorrhages occur during surgical treatment, often causing death.

Piles are simple in the beginning and easily cured. They can be cured even in the worst stages, without pain or loss of blood, quickly, surely and completely. There is only one remedy that will do it - Pyramid Pile Cure.

It allays the inflammation, immediately, heals the irritated surface and with continued treatment reduces the swelling and puts the membranes into good, sound healthy condition. The cure is thorough and permanent.

Here are some voluntary and unsolicited testimonials we have lately received:

Mrs. M. C. Hinkley, 601 Mississippi St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: Have been a sufferer from the pain and annoyance of piles for fifteen years, the Pyramid Pile Cure and Pyramid Pills gave me immediate relief and in a short time a complete cure.

Mr. M. Griffin proprietor of the Griffin House, Detroit, Mich., says: I have been a sufferer from piles until three years ago I bought one box of the Pyramid Pile Cure and since then I have had no piles. I have recommended them to many friends and guests at my hotel, every one of whom has been cured.

The above is true as my experience has proved it and I hope it may induce other sufferers to try the Pyramid.

A little book on cause and cure of piles will be mailed free to any address by writing to Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

Druggists sell full sized packages of Pyramid Pile Cure at 50 cents.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac of your druggist, under guarantee to cure, 50c or \$1.00. Bottle and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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Good weight and seamless, 7 CENTS A PAIR.

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Fast black, and equal to many 12 1/2c goods, at 9 CENTS.

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Egyptian Cotton, ribbed, 89 CENTS. Natural Wool, ribbed, \$1.25.

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Stamped, one piece, good quality, 10 CENTS.

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All sizes from one 7x10 inches at 7 CENTS. Large ones at 8 and 9 CENTS, 10x16 inch at 10 CENTS. See north window.

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One piece stamped steel, cool handles, at 8, 10, 12 CENTS.

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Our famous Pound Box, with 60 sheets and 60 envelopes, at 14 CENTS.

Lead Pencils.

Plain cedar, sold as seconds, 10 for 1 CENT. WE GIVE TRADING STAMPS.

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THE People of the State of New York to Isaac S. Little, Plaine J. Smith, Alfred P. Ladd, Alfred M. Sealeck, Sarah F. Sealeck, George W. Sealeck, Fannie J. Currie, Isaac Sealeck, Ethelbert Sealeck, Mary Jane Mills, Charles Mills, Mary Allen Sealeck, William B. H. and Helen Augustus Bell, if living, and if dead, the next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns of Helen Augustus a Bell, deceased, and to all persons whomsoever who are or who claim to be interested in the estate of Helen Augustus a Bell, late of the city of Middletown in the county of Orange, deceased, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct list of the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased.

You and each of you are hereby cited personally to be and appear before our Surrogate, at his office in the village of Goshen, said county, on the 17th day of January, 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to attend the judicial settlement of the account of Mary C. Sealeck, administratrix of the Surrogate of the city of Middletown in the county of Orange, deceased, and to answer to the same.

And that if any of the persons interested be under the age of twenty-one years, they are required to appear by their guardian if they have one, or if they have none that they appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of their neglect or failure to do so a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for them in the proceedings.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of our said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Charles P. Howell, Surrogate of our said county of Orange, at the village of Goshen, in said county, the 15th day of November, A. D. 1926.

T. D. SCHUMAKER, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for Administratrix, Middletown, N. Y.

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F. L. TRUEX.

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Lucinda Horton Tamm, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his office, No. 16 East Main street, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 14th day of April next.

Dated Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 12, '26.

GEO. H. DECKER, Executor.

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Bull & Youngblood,

56 North St., Opp. Postoffice.

TELEPHONE CALL 56.

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Jane Wickham, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the First National Bank, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 1st day of February, 1927.

S. W. ROBERTSON, Executor.

J. F. BRADDER, attorney for executor.

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plication.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—Rain-
falling to snow, to-night, and con-
tinuing; decidedly colder, Saturday.

THE TEMPERATURE

The following was the registry of the thermom-
eter at Pratt's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 45°; 12 m., 53°; 5 p. m., 58°.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Nov. 23—Spears' Comedy and Dramatic
Co., at Casino.
—Nov. 26—Extra for Social.
—Dec. 3—Bachelor Social Club's hop.
—Dec. 6—Hon. John Temple Graves, Y. M. C.
A., at Casino.
—Dec. 6—Monahan Stage, at truck house.
—Dec. 2—Barred Opening, at North Street Con-
gregational Church.
—Dec. 8—Wm. E. Gell's magnificent illustrated
lecture on "Patmos," with his own copyright
views.
—Dec. 9—"The Coming of the King," by Grace
Church choir.
—Dec. 9—Fair of Waukill Horse Co., at Assem-
bly Rooms.
—Dec. 10—11—"Mystic Midgets" at Casino, by
St. Paul's M. E. Sunday School.
—Dec. 15—Concert and ball by 21st Separate
Co. Band, at Casino.
—Dec. 23—Ball of Phoenix Engine Co. at As-
sembly Rooms.
—Dec. 28—Excelsior Social.
—Nov. 29-Dec. 4—Illynotist Bady and com-
pany, at Casino.
—Dec. 30—Ball of Ontario Horse Co., at Assem-
bly Rooms.
—Dec. 31—Maquerade ball, at Casino, under
Geo. Lee's management.
—Jan. 21—Excelsior Social.
—Jan. 24—John Thomas Concert Co., Y. M. C.
A., at Casino.

FRIDAY, NOV. 26, 1897.

There are four candidates for the War-
wick post office: Stott Mills, who is
backed by leading members of the Odell-
Wiener Republican Club; N. L. Furman,
who is the candidate of the Central Re-
publican Club; V. A. Wilder, who claims to
be the "original McKinley man" of
Warwick; Rev. D. C. Littlefield, who has
no leaders behind him, but who claims
that he is strong with the people; and
Eiram Tate, of the *Advertiser*, who is
not an aggressive candidate, but who
cherishes the hope that out of the jungle
over the other candidates the choice may
come to him, as a barometer candidate.

SLIGHT FIRE THURSDAY NIGHT.

Dominick Martino's House Was on Fire.
But the Firemen Saved It.

Dominick Martino owns the brick
house on Roberts street, two doors from
East Main. The house was left alone
Thursday afternoon, and during the
evening the wood work caught fire from
the stove. When the fire was discovered,
it had gained considerable headway.
McQuoids secured first stream, Eagles
second and the two soon extinguished
the blaze.

There is an insurance of \$1,200 with
Case & Taylor.

The Spears Comedy Company's Success-
ful Engagement.

The fire dance given by the charming
soubrette of the Spears Comedy Com-
pany is equal to anything ever seen in
this city. "Faust" will be produced to-
night. To-morrow afternoon the com-
pany will give a matinee, and will close
their engagement to-morrow evening,
when "A Noble Revenge" will be pro-
duced.

Fined \$5 for Breaking Up the Furni-
ture.

Koder N. Christman, who has been ar-
rested several times for breaking up the
quiet and intimate of his home, was
taken into the same offense, Thursday
afternoon. His wife withdrew the com-
plaint this morning but the police pushed
it and Koder was fined \$5.

Burglars Ate and Smoked in Weeks
Brothers' Grocery.

Some time during Wednesday night
some one broke open the rear door of
Weeks Brothers' grocery on North street
and enjoyed several pies. After lunching
they departed with a quantity of cigars.

Barnment Notes.

—George W. Jamison, of Seaville,
and Miss Julia N. Crist, of Thompson
Ridge, both well known school teachers,
were married Thursday afternoon, at
Montgomery.

Mennorchor Germania Had a Dance.

The Germania Mennorchor had a social
gathering, of an evening afternoon and
evening, in their hall. Dancing was con-
tinued until a late hour.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—A night business on the Lehigh and
Hudson is reported on the morning.

Nervous people find relief by enriching
their blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla,
which is a true blood purifier and
nervine tonic.

HEADACHE, dizziness, indigestion, etc., cured
by Hood's Sarsaparilla. "One bottle cured me." At drug stores.

MARTIN THORN'S TRIAL.

Very Important Evidence, To-day—
Mrs. Nock in Court, But Only to Be
Identified.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

New York, Nov. 26.—In the Thorn
trial the examination of Barber Koen
was concluded. Edward Speck, a bar-
tender, said Thorn exhibited a watch
and money on June 29 and said "that's
what I got out of my carriage ride last
Saturday." Driver Federer gave unim-
portant evidence.

Barber Merrick, who sent Thorn for
shampoo mixture Wednesday, testified
to receiving a letter from Thorn asking
him to swear that he sent him for the
mixture Friday, the day of the murder.
Capt. O'Brien identified Mrs. Nock, and
in discussing his retention the prosecution
announced that Mrs. Nock would not be
put on the stand to-day.

Detective McCully testified to telling
Mrs. Nock of the finding of different parts
of the body, and to Thorn's saying Mrs.
Nock had said to him, "Guldensuppe did
not treat me right; he wanted me to open
a house of prostitution."

THE BICYCLE CONTEST.

Vote on the Wheel to Be Given Away
by the Spears Comedy Company

Every person attending the produc-
tions of the Spears Comedy Company at
the Casino, this week, is entitled to vote
for the free bicycle which will be given
away to the most popular young lady.
The result of the vote is announced from
the stage each evening, and last evening
was as follows:

Katie Mulcahey	238
Jennie Madden	160
Clara McQuade	212
Lucy Lea	148
Maggie Doyle	65
Abbie Benson	89
Bessie Lindsey	35
Miss Hagan	40
Edna Falkner	110
Bessie Lorman	15
Susie Mulford	84
May Heren	24
Mabel Mance	201

Large Party Near Westtown.

H. Albert Horton and the Misses Hor-
ton, the sons and daughters of Reeves
Horton, of near Westtown, entertained
about 150 people from that vicinity,
Thursday night. Dancing to music by
Derg's orchestra was kept up until a late
hour. Supervisor N. W. Wood and wife
and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Horton at-
tended from this city.

Thanksgiving Gifts to Thrall Hospital.

Thrall Hospital wishes to acknowledge
the following gifts kindly sent for
Thanksgiving day.

Turkey, Dr. Talcott; liquors and wines,
Alderman Bastian; pig for roasting,
Mr. Greening; six jars jelly, Mrs. Bonk,
crocheted chair cover.

Shooting Match at Slate Hill.

The Waukill Wawayanda Gun Club
will have a shooting match at Slate Hill,
to-morrow afternoon, at 1 o'clock. The
prizes will include chickens, turkeys,
ducks and two horses; one of them a fine
young animal. The match will be open
to all comers.

His Hand Injured at Port Jervis.

John Hayes, formerly an employee of
the saw shops in this city, had his hand
injured, Wednesday, at Port Jervis. It
is feared that it will have to be ampu-
tated.

A Famous German Doctor's Work.

Consumption is now known to be cur-
able if taken in time—the German reme-
dy known as Otto's Cure, having been
found to be an almost certain cure for
the disease. Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup,
Coughs, Colds, Pneumonia and all
throat and lung diseases are quickly
cured by Dr. Otto's Great German Reme-
dy. Sample bottles of Otto's Cure are
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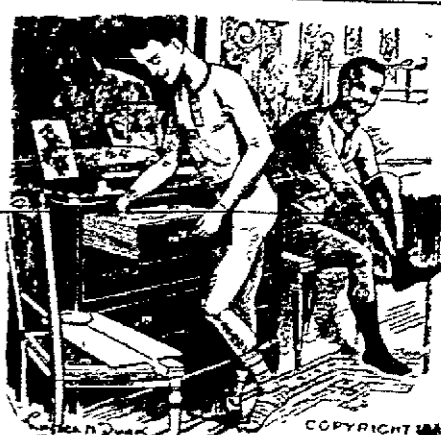
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—The Neptune glove \$1.25 at Carson & Tower's.
—Barkins in cloaks at Geo. B. Adams & Co.'s.
—Girl wanted in a confectionery store.
—Holiday perfumes at J. J. Chambers'.
—Ladle 'sho a \$1.50 at The Hub.
—Hypnotist Baldy, at Casino, next week.
—Coach for Excelsior's social.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local matter, to-day.

—"Faust" at the Casino, to-night.
—Special meeting of the Common Council, to-night.

—Baldy, the hypnotist, at the Casino all next week.

—Remember the indoor base ball game at the armory, to-night. Asylum vs. 21th.

—Flagman Charley Daily received his usual Thanksgiving turkey from the Erie H. use.

—There will be no evening service in Grace Church, to-night. The rector has a bad cold.

—Work has been begun on a \$1,000 addition to the silk mill of Toner & Prescott, in Unionville.

—Excelsior's first social at Assembly Rooms, to-night. Card playing will begin at 8:30 sharp.

—The ladies of Capt. Wm. A. Jackson Relief Corps are requested to meet in their room, Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, for inspection.

—The man who had a few cents for beer had no trouble in getting a turkey dinner, Thanksgiving Day. Several of the cafes had elaborate turkey lunches.

—A Lutheran Church in New York has presented the Ellenville Lutheran Church with a tin bell, which has been placed in position and will be rung for the first time next Sunday.

—The wages paid teachers in the Third District average \$34.43 per month. The highest wages are paid in Hardenburgh, \$37.91, and the lowest in Woodstock, \$29.37.

—The union Thanksgiving service at St. Paul's Church, yesterday, was well attended. The sermon by Rev. Dr. Gordon was a good one. A fair congregation attended the service in Grace Church.

—Do not fail to attend the exhibition of Ladies Home Journal collection of pictures at First Congregational Church parlors, Thursday afternoon and evening, Dec. 2. Sale will begin at 3 o'clock. Admission free.

—The Meinhold cider works at Ellenville ground about 75,000 bushels of apples, this year, and made about 5,000 casks of cider. The concern is still negotiating with Goshen's Board of Trade with a view to locating in that village.

PERSONAL.

—Charles Wolff, Sr., is greatly improved, to-day.

—E. E. Bush, of Jersey City, spent Thanksgiving Day here.

—Mrs. John Farrell and son Harry are visiting friends in Brooklyn.

—Edward J. Mason spent Thanksgiving with friends in Port Jervis.

—Dan Dougherty, of Manhattan College, was in town for Thanksgiving.

—Miss Maggie Flynn, of Port Jervis, is visiting her many friends in this city.

—Editor Hiram Tate, of the Warwick Advertiser, and family spent Thanksgiving in this city.

—Francis Garland, wife and son, of Port Jervis, spent Thanksgiving with the former's parents in this city.

—Miss May Mellon, of Yonkers, formerly a teacher at the Linden avenue school, is spending a few days in town.

—Miss Lena Dowd, of Middletown, has been very sick at the residence of her cousin, Mrs. Arch. Freer.—Ellenville Press.

—Mrs. J. T. Leverich, Mrs. C. G. Crane and Mrs. A. Hawk, of Newark, spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. W. W. Taylor.

—W. F. Murphy, of New York, formerly proprietor of the Bell House accompanied by John Walsh, was in town, Thursday night.

—Lawrence Distler, of New York city, who spent Thanksgiving in this city, went to Livingston Manor, to-day, on a short visit.

—Oscar Olmstead, of Middletown, was in Monticello a portion of the present week calling on relatives and acquaintances.—Watkinsman.

—Miss Berice Martin and Mrs. C. K. Gordon, of Middletown, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. Downs, at Nanamoch.—Ellenville Journal.

—Misses Mary and Clara Wood and Master John Wood, of Middletown, are spending Thanksgiving with relatives in town.—Watkinsman Dispatch.

—Wm. Van Schaick, DeWitt C. Parry, C. M. Hardenburgh, J. J. Wood and Dr. Burke Pillsbury, who are supposed to need harmonizing, will be among the Republicans who will meet to-morrow in Newburgh, with "chatter" the Howler.

—Squachanna and Western Earnings.

—The Squachanna and Western reports for October gross earnings of \$213,247, a decrease of \$19,828 for October last year. Since July 1st, the road has earned \$806,488, a decrease of \$18,666 for the corresponding period last year.

Little Braves

—Old time a quarter a box "Purgers" are getting the nod in whole bathtubs. Dr. Agnew's Laver Pills at 10 cents a box are driving them out at a 100 percent. Because they act gently, more effectively, never pain, and are easy to take. Sick headache succumbs to one dose.

—An ardent seller of Dr. Hild's Pain Pills.

THANKSGIVING FOOT BALL

NEITHER SIDE SCORED BUT PORT JERVIS FORFEITED THE GAME.

An Exciting Contest on the State Hospital Grounds Between High School Eleven—The Middletown Team Two Struck for Its Opponents—Most of the Playing in Port Jervis Territory—Many Wrangles and Much Scrapping—Ball Almost on Port Jervis Line When They Refused to Play.

Middletown 0, but awarded the game: Port Jervis 0.

That is the way the foot ball game between the eleven representing the Middletown High School and the Port Jervis High School terminated, Thursday afternoon, on the hospital grounds. It does not give any idea of the contest, and only those who were present will remember the first grand foot ball game played in this city.

By 2 o'clock, and the game scheduled for 3, the crowd began making its way to the hospital grounds. The cars were crowded by chrysanthemum-marked young men and banner waving girls. They found the ground marked off and at once lined up against the ropes. When 3 o'clock arrived there were 2,000 people on the grounds, and the air rang with intricate school yells, and colors were waved on canecnds as the Port Jervis men appeared. They began a little preliminary practice at once and experts on the grounds commented upon their slowness in accomplishing tricks.

When Middletown's eleven, headed by Capt. Taylor, appeared on the grounds a great welcome was extended.

But the crowd was disappointed. "Dave" Canfield and "Sam" Knight were not among them; thus two of Middletown's most promising high school boys were missing just when every foot ball enthusiast wanted them.

The team went to the eastern goal and in the preliminary practice showed up as light as coals and as steady as infantry.

Middletown won the toss, took the west goal and gave Port Jervis the ball. The teams then lined up as follows:

Port Jervis	Middletown
Caddy-back.....	Left End.....(Capt) Taylor
Left Tackle.....	Medrick Swinton.....
Left Guard.....	Rockafellow Stanley.....
Center.....	McEwan Douglas.....
Right Guard.....	Mills Fisher.....
Right Tackle.....	Smith Wheeler.....
Right End.....	Yocum Clark.....
Quarter Back.....	Wood Tracy (Capt).....
Left Half Back.....	W. Bauer.....
Right Half Back.....	Wheeler Shoen.....
Full Back.....	Alcop Russell Farnum.....

Russell Farnum, of Port Jervis, was referee during the first half, and R. Brewster Beattie was umpire. W. N. Knapp time-keeper, Charles Ketchum and Ritzie Denton line-men.

At 3:25 the game started. She kicked the ball from the centre line into Rockafellow's arms, and when the latter started on a sprint toward Port Jervis territory he slipped and fell, and the rush line piled up on him near where the kick had been caught. Wheeler received the ball after the line-up, and went around the left end of Port Jervis' line for ten feet before being downed. Frank Yocum was next given a chance, and he went around the right end for fifteen yards, aided by splendid interference. When Stanley finally downed him the wet ball slipped away, and a Port Jervis man got it.

This was a bit discouraging right in the start, but there was no time to think about that. Port Jervis' little scrapper, Tracy, the captain, was counting numbers for a signal, and in a jiffy little "Jake" Bauer, the fellow in the red sweater, was starting around the right end. Wheeler nabbed him before he had stirred six feet from his tracks. He made another effort, and Medrick pulled him down nicely.

Port Jervis couldn't get around those ends and they admitted it. Backing the centre was the next effort and they went through the Middletown line for five yards. The ground slanted against the home team, and when the Port Jervis men made their grand push five yards more were added to their advantage. They might have pushed their way right on to the goal, but the work was tiring on them. They sent Douglass around the left end, and Alcop strooped him easily, and then the Port Jervis team walked off to one side and conferred. This end business was of no use, but they tried it again, and when Wheeler, of Port Jervis, made a final effort to recover three yards on the next down Joe Yocum landed him nose in the dirt, and the distance now being gained, the ball went to Middletown.

Enthusiasm broke out afresh, for the contest had been close enough to get the crowd to a high pitch of excitement. The noise was deafening, and the players could barely hear the signal numbers as Capt. Taylor shouted them out. The ball was passed by McEwan to Wheeler and he went around Port Jervis' left end for twenty yards, as if there no others in the game. Little "Jake" Bauer nabbed him, in fact he did most of Port Jervis' playing.

Then the home boys backed the centre for three yards, just to see how it would work. The next effort was around the right end, and Frank Yocum gained five yards before he was downed. Alcop then tried a punt. It was fumbled and Douglass nipped it. He was up and going hard for Middletown's goal when Charles Mills lowered him nose too gently to the soil ground.

The occurred one of the many wrangles which marred the game from that time on. Shoen punted, or kicked the ball and under the rules his side could not touch the ball until it had first been touched by an opposing player. Weed was going for it, when it struck the ground and bounded high in the air. He was under it when it settled, but big Caddy-back, Rutgers '99, snatched it before Weed touched it and ran toward Middletown's goal, followed only by J. Yocum, who downed him on the twenty-five yard line. The others called foul, and Umpire Beattie gave the ball to Middletown. The visitors kicked hard and vigorously, and Referee Farnum sided with his team while having nothing to say officially. The crowd took up the argument, and there was considerable delay, during which not a little Port Jervis money was flashed and taken up by local sports.

The game was finally recommenced on the basis at first established by Umpire Beattie, and Frank Yocum went between Port Jervis' tackle and right end for five yards. Then big Alcop was sent around the left end for one yard. He had not practiced enough to know the signals and hence had poor interference. Then with six inches to gain on second down, he went around the end for eight yards. He was given another chance, but the signals went wrong again and he was nailed without gain while trying the centre.

Wheeler then made a nice run of five yards around the left end, and as he was downed he lost the ball, but Frank Yocum captured it, and the chorus of "ohs" was changed to a round of school yells. Alcop then punted, and as the ball went out of bounds it went to Port Jervis under a rule established before the game.

W. Bauer tried to go around Middletown's left end. His side couldn't learn by experience. He was downed with no gain to his credit. Then he went straight across the field for an avenue of escape around the left end. Rockafellow tackled him in good style and Bauer had gained only a yard or two by his killing run.

After the line up Tracy received the ball and was overtaken by Frank Yocum. A mass play on centre gained six yards. Two more were added around the right end. Jackie Bauer doing the trick.

On the next line up Caddy-back fumbled and Weed was on the ball quicker than you could say "Jack Robinson."

Frank Yocum made a brilliant effort when the ball was passed to him, but Tracy quickly threw him. Wheeler was sent around the left end for a two-yard gain, and then the whistle blew with the ball on Middletown's thirty-five yard line.

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THE SECOND HALF.

The second half was opened by the appearance of Dave Canfield and Sam Knight in the places of Rockafellow and Smith, who had been injured. They received an ovation and Port Jervis was inclined to demur. When time was finally called two new features made the game annoying to the fair-minded spectator. The Bauer brothers and little Tracy were inclined to fight, and the crowd could not be kept off the field. Frequently play was stopped for several minutes until the crowd could be pushed back in order that plays might be made.

This half was as exciting a bit of playing as one ever saw. Middletown was the stronger, the play being all in Port Jervis territory. They went around their ends with ease, and one touch down would certainly have been secured by Canfield had not the crowd been in his way, and the ball was knocked from his hands by some one.

Medrick kicked off in the opening, and J. Bauer got the ball. The Port Jervis team backed the centre, and young "Jake" Bauer surreptitiously punched Canfield a welcome on the jaw. Then they went through the centre again. "Sam" Knight made a beautiful tackle in the bunch, and "Jake" went down. The ball was unblinded, but a member of the Port Jervis eleven managed to save it. They tried another mass play and gained a yard. A repetition brought the same gain. Tracy then tried around the right end, and Weed made the prettiest tackle of the day. Tracy remained on the ground for a little while to get his breath, and the crowd flocked to the field.

The space was finally cleared, and then the Bauer brothers began their attacks on Canfield. Punches were not as thick as chrysanthemums, but there was a very fair crop from a this on.

Middletown secured the ball on downs and Canfield went around the right end for ten yards. The next time it was again on down yards. He pushed the Port Jervis men away from him like a steam iron and he angered them while the crowd yelled itself into deafness. His aim set every Middletown in the crowd dancing. Taylor's interference was a feature of these and other plays in the game.

The next play was on mass against the Port Jervis centre and when big, tall Caddy-back reached the point where his work was expected Canfield sent him back and gained five yards. Wheeler was next given a chance to go around left end and he did for ten yards. Canfield went around the right end next, and when on Port Jervis' five yard line encountered the encroaching crowd and fell, losing the ball to Port Jervis.

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Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



near to the disinterested. Tracey lost the ball a moment later to Middletown, and Canfield went around the left end to the three yard line. He tried the right end and lost two yards.

Wheeler was passed the ball, and hurried hard for a touch down around the left end. He was tackled on the one yard line and lost the ball.

The excitement was intense at this time. Signal could not be heard; nothing but bad-tem, and the crowd surrounding the struggling twenty-two men would have joined in the contest if some one had led.

Capt. Tracey's men kept their heads well. They formed for a mass play, and pushed the ball through the centre for five yards. Jackie Bauer was pushed around the end, but Taylor shortened his career of nobleness after a sharp tackle.

Two efforts on the centre brought Port Jervis two yards further away from her goal. Then they couldn't gain any more. The ball went to Middletown and Frank Yocum landed it one yard from Port Jervis' goal line aided by interferences that were simply perfection.

Then Port Jervis kicked. They claimed the ball was theirs. Mr. Beattie declined to allow it, and very properly, too. A long and heated argument followed. There was still four minutes yet to play and the Middletown team would have backed the centre for a yard and four points were assured, even if a kick for goal failed in the last approaching darkness.

Mr. Beattie gave them several warnings and finally awarded the game to Middletown by forfeiture Port Jervis refusing to play.

Supper was served to thirty-five of the local men and visitors at Porter's after the game. No. 3 was two hours late and the party did not get away from here until after 1 o'clock.

Warwick beaten at Foot Ball by N. W.burgh.

Warwick's foot ball eleven visited Newburgh, Thursday, and were beaten by the Newburgh academy team by a score of 14 to 4. The game was a clean one and none of the players was injured.

PICTURE FAKIR.

Sold Club Tickets on Nilsson & Herriek Without Their Knowledge.

An individual representing himself to be "John W. Tompkins" has been selling for fifty cents photograph club tickets, which purported to be good for a dozen good cabinets at Nilsson & Herriek's, the West Main street artists.

Mr. Herriek discovered the fraud and notified the police. A man was arrested, Thursday afternoon, but he did not prove to be the one wanted.

The artists have had presented to them several of these tickets, among them "No. 49" and "No. 4."

Bridal Complex at the Madison House.

George L. A. entertained two bridal parties, Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Bennett registered from Bloomington.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cathcart were from Niagara Falls. He is cashing in the Erie freight office and she was Miss Jennie M. LeVee, and they made a handsome bride couple.

Will Open a Winterhouse on Ice.

Hon. A. J. Ireland and wife, a Norfolk, Neb., arrived in town, Thursday night, and will spend the winter. Mr. Ireland will open an office at the Wilson Building in the interest of the Mutual Trust Company.

Revival Meetings in the First Baptist Church.

Four men began the Christian life at the revival service in the First Baptist Church last night. Meetings will be held every night this week in the auditorium of the church. All are welcome.

OLNEY'S PHARMACY, FRANKLIN SQUARE.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR!

No Such an Assortment of Muslin Underwear!



can be found in this place as we are showing—Handsome Trimmed Corset Covers at 25 cents; Undershirts, drawers, plain, 25 cents; trimmed, 35 cents; fine cambric, lined, 30 cents; Night Dresses 15 cents. No such a line of new light Robes this side of New York city. Every kind of Knit Underwear for ladies, misses and children at very low prices.

Fancher's
No. 7 West Main St.

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THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT EVER BEFORE SHOWN IN THIS CITY.

C. Emmet Crawford

44 AND 46 NORTH STREET.

Olung Shields, made of chamois skin and lined with red flannel, at 80c each. Also genuine Chamois Skins for making undervests. See our window.

McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North Street and 155 North Street (North Side Pharmacy).

Whisk Brooms and Clothes Brushes. We just call attention to these. Want one? See our window.

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NEW CARPETS, RUGS, MATTINGS, LINOLEUMS AND OIL CLOTHS,

All in the very newest designs, at prices which give us the reputation of being

THE CHEAPEST PLACE IN THE CITY.

FRANCE & HATHAWAY

25 AND 27 EAST MAIN STREET

STATE HOSPITAL THANKSGIVING.

Patients Were Given a Fine Dinner of Magnificent Proportions.

Those non-keepers who have been feasting for a week over the preparation of a Thanksgiving dinner will read the following with interest.

There are 1,185 patients in the State Hospital for the Insane under Dr. Talbot's care, and they were given a fine dinner Thursday noon, and it passed off just as easily as a Sunday night supper. The Father and Baker Schillinger began work Monday on this annual dinner. They were given 1,800 pounds of turkeys and geese, and twenty-five gallons of oysters were used with other ingredients in stuffing the turkeys. The geese were stuffed with chestnuts. The other dishes and quantity were:

Two hundred bunches of celery, two barrels of cranberry sauce, ten bushels of mashed potatoes, ten bushels of mashed turnips, four bushels of pickled beets, 260 mince pies, eighty pounds of cheese, 800 quarts of milk. Many of the patients also had private gifts of apples, grapes, bananas and nuts.

Wednesday night, Burg's orchestra of five pieces gave a free concert and dance for the patients. They were also given apples, seven kinds of cake, coffee and cider.

JOLLY FIREMEN DANCE.

Lucky Thought Lodge Had a Large Crowd at Its Dance Thanksgiving Eve.

Lucky Thought Lodge, No. 232, B. of L. F., held a grand dance, Wednesday evening, at the Assembly Rooms. The attendance was very large and the affair did not break up until a late hour.

The music was excellent, being by Collins, of Newburgh.

The committees in charge were:

Floor Manager—John Cobalan, aides, W. J. Luddy, Peter Short, M. Kerrigan, D. Ross.

Reception Committee—George Haley, Charles Sloat, Bartley Hoey, William McAloon, John Tunney, H. Ryder, L. Hoey.

Committee of Arrangements—F. C. Schindler, John Dunham, L. Hoey.

ORDERED A HOGAN BOILER

One of a Hundred Horse Power Ordered for the Warwick Electric Light Plant.

The Hogan Boiler Co. has contracted with the proprietors of the Electric Lighting Co., of Warwick, to supply it with a 100 horse-power boiler, to be in readiness for use by January 1st. Mr. Sharpe, the general superintendent of the electric light plant at Liberty, is one of the proprietors of the Warwick plant, and he selected the Hogan boiler because several months' experience with the boiler at Liberty satisfied him of its excellence and superiority.

Did Not Long Survive His Son's Tragic Death.

From Our Warrenton Correspondent.

Coroner Helm informs us that he was recently in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Horace F. Pritchard, of New York, announcing the death of E. M. Pritchard, father of Horace, the man shot in the recent Sullivan County Club tragedy. He died about Nov. 1st of heart disease.

Paid \$25 for Violating the Game Laws.

Daniel Webster Wynkoop, of Kerkonk, arrested on complaint of Game Protector Kidd on a charge of shooting squirrels and rabbits out of season, pleaded guilty, Monday, and was fined \$25.

Real Estate Sales.

C. J. Burhaus, formerly of this city, now engaged in the bicycle business in Ellenville, has bought the Legg house, corner of Maple avenue and Herndon street, in that village, and taken possession of it. The price was about \$1,600.

Murder in the Second Degree.

Joseph Becker, charged with the murder of William Gardner was convicted of murder in the second degree at Kingston Wednesday, and sentenced for imprisonment for life. He broke down when sentence was imposed.

Fell from a Load of Wood.

A son of Supervisor John I. Brady was riding on top of a load of wood on King street, this morning, when his seat slipped off. He received a hard fall on the pavement and was considerably hurt for a few moments.

Bad, Bad Boys.

Several bad boys have been in the habit of jumping on west bound trains at East Main street nights, setting the brakes unknown to trainmen and thus delaying trains. Arrests are likely to follow.

UNIONVILLE.

To Organize a Singing Class.

Correspondence of Argus and Mercury.

—A meeting for the purpose of organizing a singing school, to be conducted by D. E. Lidenberger, of Middletown, will be held in the lecture room of the Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening, Dec. 2. The lively interest shown indicates a large school. Come and bring your friends.

Salt Rheum Cured.

"I had salt rheum on my hands so that the skin would break open and bleed. I read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla I determined to try it, and I have never been troubled with salt rheum since I began taking it. My boy had sores on his face, but Hood's cured him."—Mrs. ELMER WILCOX, Petersburg, N. Y.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. Mailed for 25c by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

KIDNEY TROUBLES

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Also Backache.

I cannot speak too highly of Mrs. Pinkham's Medicine, for it has done so much for me. I have been a great sufferer from kidney trouble, pains in muscles, joints, back and shoulders; feet would swell. I also had womb troubles and leucorrhoea. After using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and Blood Purifier and Liver Pills, I felt like a new woman. My kidneys are now in perfect condition, and all my other troubles are cured.—Mrs. MAGGIE POTTS, 324 Kauffman St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Backache.

My system was entirely run down, and I suffered with terrible backache in the small of my back and could hardly stand upright. I was more tired in the morning than on retiring at night. I had no appetite. Since taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I have gained fifteen pounds, and I look better than I ever looked before. I shall recommend it to all my friends, as it certainly is a wonderful medicine.—Mrs. E. F. MORRIS, 1043 Hopkins St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Kidney Trouble.

Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I had suffered many years with kidney trouble. The pains in my back and shoulders were terrible. My menstruation became irregular, and I was troubled with leucorrhoea. I was growing very weak. I had been to many physicians but received no benefit. I began the use of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine, and the first bottle relieved the pain in my back and regulated the menses. It is the best kind of medicine that I have ever taken, for it relieved the pains quickly and cured the disease.—Mrs. LILLIAN CRIPPEN, Box 77, St. Andrews Bay, Fla.

HYMENEALE.

French—Cooking.

Rev. Frank A. Heath officiated. Wednesday night, at the wedding of William I. French and Miss Grace L., daughter of D. L. Conkling, at the latter's home on Waver Avenue. The best man was A. C. N. Thompson and Miss Emma Knapp, of Goshen, was bridesmaid.

Refreshments were served and the couple left on O. and W. No. 5 for a wedding tour in Northern New York.

The groom is the well known foreman of Ontario and Western painters. He is a member of the 24th Separate Company and band. His bride is popular in her circle. On their return from their wedding tour the couple will reside in apartments furnished by the groom on Linden avenue.

Lounsbury—Moreau.

Marcus D. Lounsbury, of the Newburgh-Fishkill ferry, and Miss Mary L., daughter of Moses Moreau, called upon Rev. Dr. McClancy, Thursday night, and were united in marriage. The bride was prettily attired in white organ with yellow tulle, with lace and ribbon trimming and she carried bridal roses. Her bridesmaid was a sister, Genevieve Moreau, who wore old rose poplin, trimmed with lace and velvet. She carried carnations. The best man was William Gibbs, of this city.

After the wedding a reception was held at the bride's father's home, No. 41 North street.

To-day the couple went into their new home in Fishkill.

The groom's gift to the best man was a scarf pin and the bride's to the bridesmaid a ring set in opals.

Among those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moreau, of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Lounsbury, grandparents of the groom, of Fishkill; Miss Grace Kane, of Pine Bush, and Miss Laura Marsh, of Goshen.

Advised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending Nov. 22d:

LADIES.
Cashier Mrs. Annie Mars'el, Mrs. G'd
Mend, Mrs. H. H. Ryerson, Mrs. G. W.
Marshall, M. S. Minnie Wood, Miss Bell
Miss O'Brien, Mrs. F. E.
GENTLEMEN.
Cox & M. Middletown Fish Co.
Jones, H. R. Putnam M. B. & Son
Cox, J. S. Minnet, J. F.
Metropolitan Milk and Sugar, C. H.
Cream Co. Tuttle, C. H.
M. S. S. David C. L. ELWOOD, P. M.

MARRIED.

FRENCH—CONKLING—In this city, Nov. 24th, '97, by Rev. Frank A. Heath, William I. French and Grace Conkling, both of Middletown.
LITTLE—DECKER—In this city, Nov. 24th, '97, by Rev. Frank A. Heath, Joseph S. Little and Beadie Decker, both of Goshen.
TAYLOR—TROWBRIDGE—At Ridgebury, Nov. 24th, '97, by Rev. Theron Brittain, Phineas Taylor of Boonton, N. J., and Letitia, daughter of Charles Trowbridge.

DIED.

STEVENS—At Fort Montgomery, Nov. 17th, '97, Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens, aged ninety-two years.
VANAMOROUGH—At Walden, Nov. 18th, '97, Mrs. Martha VanAmourgh, aged fifty years.

FRANK O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 24 North street, Telephone No. 1. Lady assistant, New York office 154 East 22d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

KAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, 42 West Main street, corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 50 Great Jones St., New York city. Lady assistant, Telephone Call No. 10.

JOHN DONOVAN, Undertaker and Embalmer, 124 North street, Telephone 15. Lady assistant, Open day and night.

DOUGHERTY & RILEY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 54 Cottage street, Middletown, Telephone 42, night and day. New York office, 54 Great Jones street. Also long distance telephone.

D. OSTERHOUT, Undertaker and Embalmer, 124 North street, Telephone 15. Lady assistant, 44 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, & Grand Jones street, New York.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 19 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grains and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26, '97.	
Yesterday	Today
Close	Close
Sugar.....	130 1/2 133 1/2
Tobacco.....	81 81 1/2
Chicago Gas.....	91 1/2 92 1/2
Nat. Lead.....	32 1/2 33 1/2
General Electric.....	32 1/2 33 1/2
U. S. L. pref.....	62 62 1/2
Am. Coal and Iron.....	23 1/2 24 1/2
A. T. & S. F.....	12 1/2 13 1/2
C. B. & Q.....	10 1/2 11 1/2
C. M. & St. P.....	12 1/2 13 1/2
R. I.....	86 1/2 87 1/2
D. L. & W.....	85 86 1/2
Edison.....	85 86 1/2
Am. H.....	107 108 1/2
O. & W.....	15 15 1/2
Susquehanna & Western.....	32 1/2 33 1/2
Susquehanna & West, pref.....	32 1/2 33 1/2
P. & R. Harbors & West, pref.....	30 1/2 31 1/2
N. W.....	121 1/2 122 1/2
L. S.....	105 1/2 106 1/2
M. P.....	28 1/2 29 1/2
Texas.....	23 1/2 24 1/2
U. P.....	23 1/2 24 1/2
W. Union.....	86 1/2 87 1/2
L. & N.....	64 1/2 65 1/2
Manhattan.....	102 1/2 103 1/2
Wabash, pref.....	17 17 1/2
No. Pacific, pref.....	54 1/2 55 1/2
W. L.....	— —
Southern N. Y.....	20 1/2 21 1/2
Southern, pref.....	20 1/2 21 1/2
Dec. Wheat.....	20 1/2 21 1/2
Dec. Corn.....	20 1/2 21 1/2
Dec. Oats.....	20 1/2 21 1/2
Dec. Pork.....	\$7 20 \$7 25
Dec. Lard.....	4 07 4 10

Cure Your Stomach.

You can quickly do this by using South American Nerve. It can cure every case of weak stomach in the world. It always cures, never fails. It knows no failure. It will gladden your heart and put sunshine into your life. It is a most surprising cure. A weak stomach and broken nerves will drag you down to death. South American Nerve will help you immediately. No failures; always cures; never disappoints. Lovely to take. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more GRAIN-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. GRAIN-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about one-fourth as much. All grocers sell it. Fifteen and twenty-five cents.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or grip. Ten cents.

Headache bad? Get Miller's Pain Pills.

NEW TO-DAY.

WANTED—A Girl about fifteen years old, at the Candy Kitchen, 17 West Main street. 15

THOSE Whiting Companies for Excellence's Social, to night, can apply at Hornbacker or 11 Depot street.

WM. ALLISON DAVIS.

COME in and see our new assortment of Holiday Goods. We have a full line of goods to suit every taste. We have a full line of goods to suit every taste. We have a full line of goods to suit every taste.

A BUSINESS EDUCATION—Railway and Commercial Systems practically taught—Stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping, etc. of commerce. No. 47 Washington street, Middletown, N. Y. Day and evening. Established 1885. 62dly Feb'y. J. B. VANGELDER, Principal.

PAPER Hanging at 10c a roll; also all kinds of painting. Estimates on all work cheerfully furnished. EMIL MARTIN, 62dly Feb'y. Shop 5 Academy Ave.

FOR RENT—Six rooms on Hanford street, newly papered and renovated throughout. Enquire at P. V. WANSICKLE'S Shoe Store, 88 North street.

LOWER PART of house, 69 East avenue; lower part of house, with barn, 203 East Main street, for rent.

Enquire of P. CUMMINGS, 100 North street, or corner East Ave. and Fulton St. 76dly

POROUS PLASTER—Full size 10c each. Free for 25c. For a pain and ache equal to higher priced plaster. New fresh goods warranted to stick. Get them at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

THE Klondike isn't in it with the bargains in second-hand goods at LOEVEN'S Storage House, 21 Monahan avenue. 75dly Oct 23/97

AUCTION!

Fifty Cows at Auction.

I will sell at public auction, SATURDAY, NOV. 27th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, two hundred of Wayne county cows, mostly new milkers 30 of them with calves by their sides, balance forward springers, at my residence, on the Lower Road, 3 miles from Dayton and 2 miles from Johnson. These are without any exception, the finest drove that I have ever offered for sale. See my card on file. R. B. WICKHAM, Auctioneer. w19 23d Oct 24

Fine Celery, Cranberries, Lettuce, Spinach, Cucumbers, Wax Beans, Cauliflower.

Paradise, Bata Turnips, Red and White Onions, Robin d and Morrow Squash, Oyster Plant Red Chubbago, Malaga, Tokay and Catawba grapes, Fancy Oranges and Lemons, Nuts of all kinds, Figs, Dates, Luyar Raisins, Plum Pudding, Nectarine, Pineapple, Edam and Cream Cheese, Print Butter.

DEWEY & MUNDY, Telephone 39. 40 North St.

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Finest Cranberries, Tender White Celery, 4 Crown Raisins 3 pounds for 25c, Choicest Cranberry, Butter 25c a pound, Best Hams 30c a pound—10 to 15 pounds each, California Hams 50c a pound, New Currants and Pitted Raisins like a pound for 25c, Malaga Grapes 12 to 15c a pound, Choice assortment of New Nuts, Choice Teas of all kinds, Java, Mocha and Mexican Coffee. All at prices that cannot fail to please you. Give us a call.

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for each insertion. No advertisements taken for less than 10 cents.

HAVING Purchased J. H. Houston's Express Business I am prepared to promptly execute all orders in that line and solicit a share of the public patronage. O. G. O'NEAL, 26 Wawayanda avenue. 96dly Dec 1

WANTED on Bond and Mortgage—\$2,800, 5 per cent, security worth \$8,300, in this city; also \$1,500 wanted, 5 per cent. MERRILL & BURKE, Attorneys, No. 57 North street.

CHAS. J. KIDD, Jr., 70 Academy avenue, 3,000 designs in Wall Paper. Estimates furnished for painting, decorating and hanging. 71

DR. F. N. FRIEND, Dentist, office corner North and King Sts., Middletown. Entrance on King St. Dental work of all kinds. Gas administered. 61y Sep 4/98

HOT WATER BOTTLES—All sizes, good quality (fully guaranteed), at unusually low prices. Call and see us. CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

W. J. GHOE will be at his office, 11 North street, Saturdays, and every evening from 7:30 to 9 o'clock, for consultation and the transaction of law business. 86dly Dec 2

PHILIP HENRY, Practical House Painter, No. 9 Linden Terrace. Painting walls a specialty. 47dly

WANTED—Ladies to remember that you save on having your shoes repaired with us. It makes them stiff and heavy. CRAIG saves on the soles which makes your shoes feel flexible. The cost is so more.

THERE will be a private sale of Household Furniture at the Messrs Porter's school, corner Prospect street and Highland avenue, from 3 a. m. to 5 p. m., on Friday and Saturday, the 26th and 27th, and on Monday, the 28th, from 1 to 5 p. m.

LOW Rent for a home on Hanford street, 63dly F. M. BARNES, No. 5 Hanford St

SYLVIO Parlor Stove, No. 76, first class driven, No. 90, extra fast and good 2-top watch, gold filled Montauk cases cheap at the EXCHANGE AND MART CO., No. 46 East Main street

LADIES' and Gents' Suits and overcoats cleaned, pressed, dyed and cured. 86dly Feb'y 2 J. A. AUSTIN, 95 Wickham Ave.

JEROME FOLEY, Piano and Organ Tuner. Fine tone and action regulating a specialty. All work guaranteed. Orders left at T. B. Dayton's Real Estate Agency, Room 1, Stern's Building, North St., Middletown, N. Y. 62dly Aug 26

HARPOD'S MARKET—Fresh to-day for the day. Fresh fruit of all kinds. Cans 70c per 100. Trading stamps. 62dly Dec 2

MUSICAL Instruction on mandolin, piano, violin, guitar, banjo, flute or VINCENT MAGGIO, 98 Victoria street, second floor. 64dly

EXTRACTING with gas 50c., odontologist 50c. No charge for extracting when artificial teeth are to be inserted. Best teeth \$3, \$5 and \$10 a set. Twenty years' experience. 96dly Dec 2 DR. ROBINSON, 44 and 46 James St

A. M. AMELER, Jeweler and Engraver, No. 66 A. North street, next to Press office. A complete line of watches, jewelry, sterling silver novelties, suitable for prizes, birthday gifts or souvenirs. Repairs in all its branches a specialty. All work fully guaranteed. Clocks called for and delivered free of charge. 26dly Aug 1/98

CLAIRVOYANT—PROF. W. H. SAGENDORF will return to Middle town, Nov. 22d, and remain one week at Wm. S. Rowe's, 37 James street. 23dly

WILLIAM OTTO BENDER, City Upholster and Awning Maker, with good help, is now ready to take orders for all kinds of work in his line. Over 200 samples of awnings, for private houses and stores, to select from. Residence and factory 15 Knapp Ave., near Wickham. 15dly 19

READY WITH THE HOLIDAY GOODS!

Our stock and variety is larger than ever exhibited before, representing articles manufactured in all parts of the globe, both useful and ornamental, suitable for young and old, and adapted to all purses. The thousand and one things are spread out in tempting array, with prices that will pleasantly surprise you. Bring the children. The pretty show is free to all.

Special Sale—\$1.80 Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers 93c and \$1.48.

The Reasons Why You Should

Buy your Holiday Goods of us: Because we either import our goods that are made in other countries or buy direct from the manufacturers in this country—saving you one profit. Because we can sell you at the same prices that most of the stores pay for their goods that buy in small quantities of the jobbers. Because we are the only dealers in the city who make a special display of all kinds of goods. Because we have the largest stock and best assortment of any store in the city.

Special Lot—Ladies' Dressing Sacques, all colors and sizes, 89, 98c, \$1.19, \$1.48.

A SPECIAL DISCOUNT GIVEN!

To all Sunday Schools, Sunday School Teachers and All Societies. Can furnish any kind of goods in dozens or gross lots, in many cases as low as any wholesale house. Goods selected early will be held until Christmas by paying a small deposit down. All goods delivered free any time until Christmas Eve 1200 yards Best Dress Prints 4 cents a yard.

Accept This as an Invitation!

We will be glad to see everyone that calls, whether they buy or not. A thousand things here to interest and amuse. Our clerks are instructed to tell you all about them that you might wish to know without importuning you to buy. Christmas shoppers who buy wisely will again, as heretofore, confine the bulk of their purchase at this store

50 pairs Fine Wool Blankets at \$1.98, \$2.25, \$3.98, worth \$2.50, \$3 and \$5 a pair.

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR GREAT STOCK?

If not, then you have failed to see as fine a collection of Merchandise as can be found in Middletown at the right prices. Just now we are making special prices on Black Dress Goods, Colored Dress Goods, Silks, Knit Underwear, Outing Flannel Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Wrappers, Bedding and the hundreds of things to be found in an up-to-date dry goods store.

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